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Mayor's Leadership Forum

UPSTREAM: POLICY SUPPORT

- Serve as a forum for coordination and information exchange of various initiatives
- Support cities for policy engagement
- Support peer-to-peer learning
- Engage global expertise

MIDSTREAM: PROJECT PREPARATION SUPPORT

 Provide targeted and bankable project preparation support by engaging a network of international and domestic financial institutions and private sector investors.

DOWNSTREAM: INVESTMENT

 Support MDBs and financial institutions to mobilize investment in nature-positive development

Vision and Objectives

Scaling up financing

- supporting FIs portfolio development
- Engaging private sector

Raising ambition :

 Engaging city leadership for the Global Biodiversity Framework; and Nature champion under the climate process

Planning and investing in nature-positive and resilience urban development

Building a strong

network and partnership

- Lighthouse cities/project cities
- Partner Organizations/Financial institutions

Being a global thought leadership

- Flagship reports
- Technical reports
- Good practice

Main activities delivered through three layers

| International meetings | Growing into a major gathering of cities, organizations, and experts in this area |
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| Leadership Form | Mayors and leadership on the margin of CBD CoPs and UNFCCC CoPs |

| Deep Dive Learning and training | Oriented hands-on training | |
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| Knowledge Products and portfolio support | In collaboration with partners and MDBs, providing targeted support | |
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Plan for 2024 and 2025

The information below is from the World Bank only:

Year 2024

- Online webinar series: September/October 2024
- Mayors Forum (part of CBD CoP parallel events organized by ICLEI), October 2024
- World Urban Forum Events, November, 2024

Year 2025

- A deep-dive learning/training
- An international meeting

Knowledge product: Green Urban Infrastructure Investment Framework;

City good practice compendiums

Communication